

# Sedalia Evening Democrat.

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## COWARDLY CRIME.

A BOMB THROWN IN A  
PREACHER'S YARD.

## A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

A Kansas City Minister Who is Not  
Very Easily Scared—No One  
Injured.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 19.—About 9:30 o'clock last evening a bomb exploded with great force in the front yard of Rev. J. Z. Armstrong, pastor of the Independence Avenue M. E. church, at 2411 Independence avenue. The noise of the explosion was tremendous and was heard for blocks around. A great cloud of smoke followed the explosion, completely filling the house and almost suffocating the inmates. The family were all in the house at the time of the explosion, but no one was hurt and no damage was done.

In a yard a block away a man who was hurrying to the scene of excitement, picked up the infernal machine. It was still hot and smoking.

It was a perfectly round ball about five inches in diameter, evidently made by someone not quite a novice in the business. The ball was built of leather scraps wound with heavy twine, making it almost as tough and resisting as iron. A hole had been blown through it about the size of a silver dollar.

Inside was a cavity about as large as a man's fist where the explosive had been. The fuse had not been blown out and could be seen sticking up through the twine. From the force of the explosion the bomb must have contained either giant powder or dynamite. It was a contrivance that, thrown in a crowd, would probably have been as deadly as the famous Haymarket bomb. The source of the explosion was a mystery to Mr. Armstrong and family. When he was called from his bed and shown the bomb, he examined it with great interest. After he had shown it to his family he remarked: "I never saw one before quite this large. My wife has just recalled some of our rather similar experiences." Speaking of the explosion he said:

"I was upstairs when it happened, and cannot tell just where the bomb laid. It must have been very near the house, however, as the house was at once filled with a heavy smoke. The noise of the explosion was terrific. I can offer no explanation as to the motive of the person or persons who put it there."

"I have never had anything of the kind happen to me since I have been in Kansas City, and I have not been threatened by any one. Before I came to Kansas City I had some troubles of somewhat similar nature which I presumed were the result of some of my pulpit utterances, but I do not think it wise to talk about such things or to have them recalled."

The crime is shrouded in mystery, but the friends of the preacher will use every effort to find the cowardly perpetrators.

## PANIC SUBSIDING.

The Denver Scare About Over and  
Confidence Being Restored.

DENVER, Col., July 19.—To-day shows a decided improvement in the financial condition. The panicky feeling of yesterday has subsided and the uneasiness was principally among the small depositors. The large depositors who have investigated the situation feel confident and are only checking out the money needed to meet the business demands of the day.

## For Sale or Trade.

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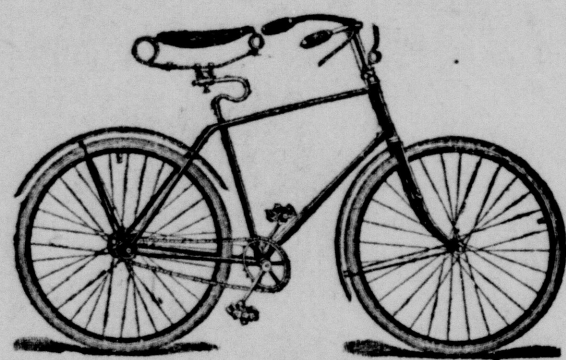
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## A Woman in the Fire.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Burnt pieces of a woman's apparel were found in the ruins of the cold storage warehouse yesterday. The discovery arouses suspicion that a woman visitor was among those who perished.

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## A MORNING BLAZE.

A. M. Poundstone's Family Made  
Homeless This Morning.

Dr. G. H. Scott's one and one-half story frame house, at the northeast corner of Thirteenth and Ohio streets, occupied by A. M. Poundstone and family, was gutted by fire at 4:20 o'clock this morning.

The explosion of a lamp caused the blaze, and both companies responded to the alarm, No. 2 arriving a little late, owing to the fact the location of the fire was not correctly given at first.

Mr. Poundstone was absent from home, and Mrs. Poundstone had been worried considerably through the night by a sick child. A portion of the household effects were saved but in a badly damaged condition, and there was no insurance on the loss of \$200 or more dollars.

Two rooms on the lower floor were seriously damaged, as was the room up stairs, the loss footing up about \$300, which is covered by insurance.

## He Was On Duty.

Officer Englebrecht does not take much stock in the reported hold-up of E. E. Smith at Third and Hancock streets Monday night. The officer says he was in that vicinity at the hour the robbery is alleged to have occurred, but he neither heard nor saw anything that looked like a hold-up. In the meantime Smith declares that he was robbed, and says he was unable to find an officer in East Sedalia to whom to report the matter.

## No Watch Stolen.

The watch that was reported to the police as having been stolen from a passenger on Missouri Pacific train No. 8, last night, proves to have been erroneous. A telegram was received from the conductor of the train this morning, stating that the passenger in question had been "flim-flammed" out of \$19, giving a \$20 bill in exchange for a \$1 bill, just as the train was pulling out from Sedalia, but no watch was lost, as originally reported.

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## ONLY EIGHT HERE.

A VERY SLIM ATTENDANCE  
OF FARMERS.

EIGHT COUNTIES IN LINE.

A Temporary Organization Effected  
—Will Conclude Their Labors  
To-night.

The state conference of farmers met at the court house at 10 o'clock this morning, at which time there were only eight gentlemen present, at follows:

H. W. Hickman, of Stoddard county.  
N. J. Wollard, of Dallas county.  
E. J. Dunevent, of Randolph county.  
A. P. Hickerson, of Howard county.  
T. J. Sweeney, of Shelby county.  
Senator McClintick, of Marion county.  
John T. Wooden, of Monroe county.  
N. C. Hickox, of Cooper county.

## FIRE,

FIRE,

TORNADO,  
TORNADO,

PLATE GLASS,  
PLATE GLASS,

ACCIDENT

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INSURANCE.

S. E. Murray,

410 OHIO ST.

clude their labors in time to leave for home on the late night trains.

Hon. H. W. Hickman, chairman of the conference, takes exceptions to an article in to-day's Gazette, in which it is stated that the movement is in favor of himself, U. S. Hall and Dick Dalton, who have political axes to grind. So far as he is concerned, Mr. Hickman says he will not be a candidate for re-nomination, and he has no political aspirations whatever.

Arrived on a Special.  
General Manager W. B. Doddridge, General Superintendent H. G. Clark and Superintendent L. D. Hopkins came in from the west on

## GREAT CROWDS ATTEND Wm. Courtney's



## Clearance - Sale!

A temporary organization was effected by the selection of H. W. Hickman as chairman and N. J. Wollard as secretary.

The conference then went into executive session, reporters being barred, and a 11:30 o'clock adjournment was had until 1 o'clock, at the parlor of Secher's hotel, which was decided to be sufficiently large to accommodate all who might care to be present.

The objects of the conference were fully set forth in yesterday's DEMOCRAT.

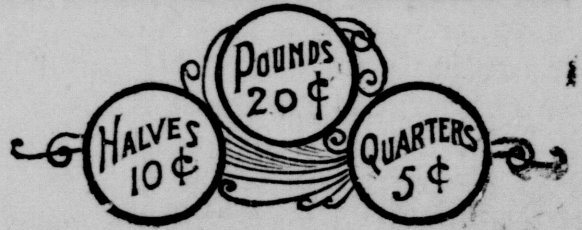
The small attendance is a sore disappointment to the promoters of the movement, who expect to con-

a special train at 1 o'clock this afternoon—Jim Hooten, conductor, and Mike Healy, engineer—and after a short sojourn here departed for St. Louis. The gentlemen have been on a tour of inspection over the lines west of here, and on the trip have reduced the expenses of the company many thousands of dollars each month by cutting off employees all along the route.

An Insulting Proposal.  
Michael Dove was fined \$5 and costs, or a total of \$14.70, in Justice Levens' court to-day for having pinched Mrs. Chas. Witcher upon the arm and made an insulting proposal to her.

Fell on a Defective Walk.  
Mrs. Rudolph Dean fell on a defective sidewalk Sunday evening and injured one of her limbs so badly that she has been confined to her bed ever since.

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Official Paper of the City of Sedalia.

The Missouri papers all report most flattering prospects for a big corn crop.

Forty thousand men are idle in Pennsylvania because of the failure of the iron mill operators and members of the Amalgamated Association to agree upon a wage scale.

A few weeks ago the New York bankers wanted nothing but gold from the federal treasury, and now, when they are given gold exclusively, they are kicking for currency. The New York banker is very trying to the public.

This is farmers' day in Sedalia and the DEMOCRAT trusts they will frankly say what they think is the one thing needed to save the country. Are they for the gold standard, or do they prefer the old-fashioned bimetallic policy?

The treasurer of Douglas county, whose term expired January 1st, 1893, is short in his accounts. The general opinion is that the misfortune was caused by some book keeper, rather than by the treasurer himself. It is claimed that every treasurer elected in Douglas county since 1880 has been short in his accounts.

The Slater Call gives its readers this remarkably good advice: "People who have good investments should hold on to them, and those who have surplus funds should, instead of locking them up, invest them. This is the way to make money and it is a perfectly safe way. We are living in a great state and country. The foundations are broad and strong, and those who suspect that it is going to destruction deserve to be numbered with the most silly class of fools."

It is folly for the goldbug to say that the re-enactment of the Bland bill will bring ruin upon the country. That law was in force twelve years; it did not drive gold away; it did not prevent European investments in this country; it did not cause financial ruin. We had no panic under it, but we did have a disastrous panic in 1873, before the Bland law was enacted, and another in 1893, three years after the Bland law was repealed. Investigation will show that it is Mr. Sherman, and not Mr. Bland, who is responsible for the legislation that brings panics in its train.

The Kansas City Times is wasting a great deal of space in showing that the people of Missouri favor the repeal of the Sherman law. As all of their representatives voted against it, and as all the democrats last fall denounced it, the Times is simply putting up a man of straw. But if it seeks to make it appear that the people of this state favor a single gold standard, then the Times has undertaken a work that will call for all of its space, all of its energy and all of its ingenuity, and then if it succeeds it will find itself mistaken at the first opportunity the people have to vote their sentiments.

It will not do to sneer at "the farmers," as some of the newspapers do, and imagine that their views on public questions are entitled to no consideration. Some of the ablest statesmen this country has produced were farmers. They, probably, were not particularly successful as money-getters, but they read history, studied conditions and reasoned logically. On the other

hand many of the most successful money-getters are supremely ignorant of other things. It is so in every community and it is so in the country at large. It is not always the man who has made millions himself who is the best adviser, nor is he always the most unselfish counselor.

If the Sherman bill is repealed and no silver law enacted in its stead, and times should continue hard and money scarce a year longer, look out for some political surprises. There is a dangerous element in this country and it has shown its teeth in Kansas. Should the conservative masses stand aside and let the John Shermans and the Jerry Simpsons have a fight it is quite likely that the former would be glad of a safe retreat in a silver mine before the battle ended. There is such a thing as putting the screws down too tight, as the republican leaders in Kansas have learned to their cost, and the lesson should not be lost upon those who have been conspiring to reach a gold basis ever since 1873.

There is to be a re-union of confederate soldiers at Birmingham, Alabama, on September 15th, and Governor Stone has been requested to select the most perfectly beautiful young lady in the state to "represent Missouri in the tableau of states." The governor is a wise, far-seeing man, and if he has any regard for his political future or the welfare of the party he will be careful not to undertake to decide who is the most beautiful young lady in Missouri. The young gentlemen of Sedalia have made considerable investigation and a majority of them believe that the young lady in question lives in Sedalia. Indeed, they maintain that there are several of her in the Queen City. The difference of opinion observed in Sedalia on this subject extends to every community in the state, and no loyal lover will ever support for the United States senate the man who officially decides that some other woman is more beautiful than his own best girl. The young men of Missouri are a power in politics, and all of them but one will have common cause against the man who decides this momentous question.

### FARMERS' INTERESTS.

The farmers who meet in this city for conference have the best wishes of the people of Sedalia.

We all feel that their interests are our interests.

That if they can adopt a course of action that will secure them larger returns for their labors, they will enhance our prosperity and by enriching themselves will enrich us.

There is no conflict between the intelligent farmer and the intelligent banker, merchant, mechanic or professional man.

Our interests are inseparably connected, and the wise course for us to pursue is to stand by each other.

In a country as large as ours, where conditions so varied exist, there must come sectional questions.

It is the part of wise and patriotic citizens to settle such questions peaceably in the interest of the majority of the people, and to settle them right.

The west and the south are debt-ridden sections, but no honest man in either of these sections wants to see one dollar of honest indebtedness repudiated or paid in anything but honest money.

Neither do they favor a financial policy which shall constantly contract values to a standard that steadily grows dearer by reason of its scarcity as compared with population and business.

In other words, the people of the west and south are in favor of an honest dollar, but they want it honest to the debtor as well as to the creditor.

So, too, is the question of tariff one which peculiarly affects the agricultural section.

The farmer rejoices at the prosperity of the manufacturer; the agricultural west is proud of the advancement of the manufacturing east, but when that advancement is made at the sacrifice of the markets for farm produce the farmer has the right to object.

The conference now in session is for the purpose of agreeing as to what is the best course to pursue to

protect the interests of the west, and in the solution of the question the towns as well as the country have a vital interest.

And so Sedalia welcomes the farmers to her midst and hopes their deliberations will result in much practical good.

### THE DEMOCRATIC IDEA.

The democratic platform adopted at Chicago last year is in the nature of positive, emphatic and binding instructions to the members of congress as well as the president.

The official who turns his back upon the instructions given him is unworthy of the confidence of his constituents.

And now here is what that platform says:

"We denounce the republican legislation known as the Sherman act of 1890 as a cowardly makeshift fraught with possibilities of danger in the future, which should make all of its supporters, as well as its author, anxious for its speedy repeal. We hold to the use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country and to the coinage of both gold and silver without discriminating against metal or charge for mintage, but the dollar unit of coinage of both metals must be of equal intrinsic and exchangeable value or be adjusted through international agreement by such safeguard of legislation as shall insure the maintenance of the parity of the two metals and the equal power of every dollar at all times in the markets and in the payment of debts, and we demand that all paper currency shall be kept at par with and redeemable in such coin. We insist upon this policy as especially necessary for the protection of the farmers and laboring classes, the first and most defenseless victims of unstable money and a fluctuating currency. We recommend that the prohibitory 10 per cent. tax on state bank issues be repealed."

### Shot Down a Wife-Beater.

RALPH, N. C., July 19.—At Laurinburg, a party of white travelers were standing at the depot when they heard a woman's cries of agony. They were told Claiborne King, a notorious negro tough, was beating his wife. They went to her rescue, surrounded the house and one knocked on the door. They heard the woman's moans. King refused to admit them, but at every moan kicked his wife on chest and head. The whites swore they would have King or die. King swore he would kill the first who entered. They forced the door, rushed in and shot King twice in the head as he stood with a heavy chair uplifted. He fell like a log. His skull was broken so the brains oozed out. He is dying, and so is his wife. Excitement in the town is high.

### The Gould Memorial Church.

RODOUT, N. Y., July 19.—Ground was broken for the new memorial church of the Gould family, to be erected in the native village of Jay Gould, Roxbury, Delaware county. The edifice will be 60 by 80 feet in size, with a tower, and will cost \$200,000. The most notable feature of the entire scheme of decoration are four heroic sized ideal portraits of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, by French artists. These portraits will cost \$10,000. The seating capacity of the church will be 1,500. The grand organ will be one of the finest make and will cost \$25,000. One of the memorial windows will cost \$12,000.

### A Night With the Stars.

GUTHRIE, Okla., July 19.—C. S. Scott, a prominent stockman of Arkansas City, was in the city today, having just returned from a trip to Tahlequah with a large bunch of horses. While en route there he lost the trail and accidentally stumbled upon the Starr gang in their rendezvous. Being satisfied he was not a spy, they did not molest him, but directed him back to the trail. He says their headquarters are so located that they could stand a siege and defy a whole company of infantry for weeks.

### Marriage Won't Help Him.

MACON, Mo., July 19.—On advice from the authorities of Carthage, Ill., Sheriff White, of Macon, this morning arrested Wm. De Hart, at La Plata, this county. He is charged with rape. The prisoner states that after he heard a warrant was out for him at Carthage he went where the young lady was attending school and stole her out and married her. His wife was at La Plata with him, and does not look to be over 14 years old. The Carthage officers will arrive to-night and take De Hart there.

### A Night Depotmaster Needed.

The robbery at the union depot last night furnishes abundant proof that Sedalia is entirely too large a city to be compelled to dispense with a night depotmaster.

### A Nebraska Insurance Suit.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 19.—Since the Buckstaff Bros.' Manufacturing company has been compelled to bring suit against about forty companies that have refused to pay their claims on account of the burning of the Vitriol Brick works last February. Mr. Buckstaff talks seriously of instituting proceedings against them under the anti-trust law recently enacted by the Nebraska legislature, as he says that if any business was ever hemmed in and around and bound up by mutual regulations that thoroughly prevented a semblance of competition, the insurance business of this state is in that condition now. In each city this insurance trust has its agent or representative, through whose hands every policy issued by any company must pass for inspection, and, therefore, no company can not tamper with the prescribed rules. Besides there is a plot of every town in the office of every insurance company, with every house marked thereon, with its exact location, and also the rate of premium to be charged. No company or agent dare change the rates. These books and maps are prepared and kept by the Insurance Trust, and each company doing business in Nebraska buys them from the trust for the use of its agents. The only competition permissible is that which may be based on the personal popularity or political pull of the agents. Quite often the insurance companies engage agents for no other reason than that they have vast political influence and have a strong pull in the Legislature lobbies. This is the trust that Buckstaff says he will "bust."

### The Homestead Poisonings.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 19.—Contrary to expectations, the depositions of confessors Gallagher and Davidson, exonerating Dempsey and Beatty from all connection with the alleged Homestead poisoning, were not taken yesterday. The gentlemen concerned in the arrangement to let the convicted prisoner and self-accused perjurer swear that he is unworthy of belief were reticent about the form the matter will take, but it is learned that District Attorney Burleigh will, in his official capacity, request Warden Wright to permit Gallagher's deposition to be taken. This will be backed up by a written request from Judge McClung, and it is not considered probable that the warden will refuse. It is reliably stated that the Carnegie company will oppose the pardon of Hugh F. Dempsey, and that Captain Breck, who prosecuted Dempsey in behalf of of the Carnegie company, is now preparing to fight the application for pardon before the board of pardons.

### Hicks on the Comet.

Rev. Irl R. Hicks was asked, says the Globe-Democrat, the result of his observations of the comet, and said that the story published yesterday to the effect that the comet's tail had assumed luminous proportions was false. "I saw the illumination spoken of," said he, "but it was the aurora borealis, and had nothing to do with the comet. The latter is still traveling at breakneck speed directly south from where it was discovered, and to-night at dark it will be directly west of the zenith and about half way from that point to the horizon. It is a very tame affair, and in my opinion it will become more feeble."

"By the way, there is a marked solar disturbance in progress that is a more interesting phenomenon than the comet. Three startling groups of sun spots were visible this morning, showing that astonishing perturbations were in progress there. The electrical disturbances we are having here are due to this phenomenon."

### Struck by a Train.

M., K. & T. passenger train No. 4, that arrived here at 6 o'clock last evening, struck an unknown man one-half mile south of Chetopa, Kas., and it is believed that fatal injuries were inflicted. The stranger was walking on the track, and turned around and looked at the approaching train when Engineer Russell sounded the danger signal, but he must have been paralyzed with fear, for he failed to get out of the way and was run down as stated.

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### Sam Jones At Nevada.

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1/2 Wool Challies, very neat patterns, as low as 10c.	Dress Gingham, new styles, a low as 5c.
India Linens that was 8 1/2, This sale 5c.	Ladies' Knit Swiss Ribbed Vests, as low as 5c.
India Linen that was 10c., This sale 8 1/2c.	Seamless Dress Shields, as low as 8c.
White Goods that were 12 1/2, 15, 20 and 25, This sale 10c.	Dress Stays covered and unbreakable, as low as 5c.
Table oilcloths that were 20 and 25c., This sale 15c.	Fine Bleached 9-4 Sheeting, the best brand, as low as 20c.
Ladies' Corset Covers, as low as 25c.	Ladies' fast Black Topsy Hose, as low as 10c.
Ladies' Night Gowns, as low as 50c.	Ladies' fast black Hermsdorf Dyed, regular made as low as 15c.
Ladies' Embroidered Gowns, that were \$1.00, This sale 75c.	American Challies and figured Lawns, as low as 3 1/2c.
A nice Bleached Muslin, as low as 5c.	Table Oil Cloth, in white and colors, as low as 15c.
A good Unbleached Muslin, as low as 5c.	Linen Crash, as low as 5c.
A Fast Black Ladies' Cotton Hose, as low as 5c.	India Linen, fine quality, as low as 8 1/2c.
	Heavy 9-4 Sheeting as low as 18c.
	Corsets, as low as 20c.

We have not time to give you all of the prices of many desirable things we are offering in this sale. We give you a list above, taken at random through all the store. Come and see for yourself that there is money for you in this Midsummer July Sale.

## H. H. Marean,

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

Fourth and Ohio St.

Cash Dry Goods House.

## Bank of Commerce,

### OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI.

Northeast Corner Ohio and Second Streets.

CAPITAL STOCK, \$100,000.

TRANSACTS a general banking business. We solicit accounts of Farmers, Merchants, Corporations and Individuals, promising a safe depository for all funds committed to our charge. We are prepared to extend liberal accommodations to the trade, including the Farmers and Live Stock dealers in Pettis county.

DIRECTORS.—John J. Yeater, Frank B. Meyer, W. E. Bard, W. P. Haley, L. H. Durley, A. M. Reed, J. W. Perdue, J. L. Warren, D. H. Orser, J. C. Beedy, Edward Hurley, W. S. Baker, Adam Ittel.

### He's Improving.

George Eisenhart, the M., K. & T. baggageman, who had a shoulder bone dislocated last Sunday, is rapidly recovering, and expects to be able to resume work by the first of next week.

### "Americane" cigars are the best.

### This is Cholera Year.

The "old army prescription," prepared by Q. C. Slack, will cure cholera morbus, cramp and all bowel diseases. We guarantee it to give satisfaction. Bottles 25c and 50c. 312 Ohio st.

LIQUORS AND WINES,  
112 Osage, Frank Krueger  
Manager.

### W. J. Atkinson, M. D.

541 East Fifth Street  
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Specialties: Diseases of Women and Chronic Diseases.

A. I. EIST, 105 W. Main Call and secure bargains in Diamonds, Solid Gold, Filled and Silver Watches, Charms, Rings, Jewelry of all kinds. Clocks, Musical Instruments, Guns, Pistols and all kinds of Clothing. Money loaned on all articles of value.

### If You Will Investigate

Then go to O. M. Brooks' West Side Pharmacy, Third and Osage, and try a glass of the only genuine and original Celery Phosphate compound. I originated this drink. All others are imitations.



# SATURDAY'S SALES

SURPASS ANY BUSINESS  
DAY IN OUR HISTORY.

RECEIVED of the St. Louis Clothing Co., one dollar in merchandise for seventy-five cents in cash, was the verdict of  
(Signed) TWELVE HUNDRED PATRONS.  
Sedalia, July 15, 1893.

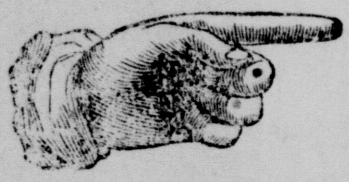
## We Are Letting Our Stock Go For Cash Only!

Money making for the present is out of order, we are trying to realize what everybody is after, CASH!  
CASH!! CASH!!! Those who haven't taken advantage of our great

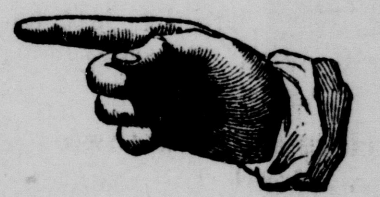


## Mid-Summer Clearing Out Sale!

Should do so at once. MONDAY we give you the choice of all our Suits---Dress Suits, Business Suits or Working Suits at a discount of



## 25 PER CENT.



Which means 25 cents saved on each dollar you invest on our already reduced prices of heretofore. PANT DEPARTMENT HAT DEPARTMENT and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT all marked below WHOLESALE COST.

# ST. LOUIS CLOTHING COMPANY, I. Frensdorf, M'g'r.

### A VETERAN'S VIEWS.

#### MR. HICKMAN ON TO-DAY'S CONFERENCE.

#### IT MET WITH OPPOSITION.

#### Alliance Leaders Have Fought It From the Hour the Movement Was Given Birth.

Hon. H. W. Hickman, state railroad commissioner, was the first delegate to arrive to attend the state conference of farmers, booked for to-day and to-morrow. He came in from the capital at 3:25 o'clock p. m. yesterday, and repaired to Hotel Sicher, where he was assigned to room No. 4 and where a DEMOCRAT reporter called upon him later.

"I have just perused your paper," said Mr. Hickman, as he laid a copy of the DEMOCRAT aside, "and the editorial bearing on our forthcoming meeting meets with my hearty approval.

"I hardly know what will be accomplished, but you have outlined our purpose accurately in your paper. The original call for the meeting was for a conference of farmers, but I am not certain that representatives of all labor organizations will not be included. We want to first formulate an organization of farmers for mutual protection, and it will then be left to that body as to whether or not the trades organizations will be entitled to membership.

"Originally, as I stated before, it was to be a farmers' conference, with a view to bettering their condition, and I should be glad to welcome the tillers of the soil of Pettis county en masse. We are laboring at a disadvantage, however, in this: We have extended invitations on two different occasions to the leaders of the Farmers' alliance in the state to be present and confer with us, but both were declined, and we shall not expect any assistance from that quarter. On the contrary, they have labored assiduously to head off the movement, on the theory that it was re-

bellious, but with what success will be seen later.

"Another thing that will operate against a large attendance is the fact that only one railroad in the state gave us reduced rates. That one was the Quincy, Omaha and Kansas City line, which conceded us a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip. In spite of this, however, I hope for a fairly good attendance, but I may be disappointed."

"What prominent gentlemen are you expecting, Mr. Hickman?" asked the reporter.

"Congressman Hall, of the Moberly district, will be here; as will Col. Dick Dalton, of St. Louis; N. J. Wollard, of Dallas county, who now has the position of storekeeper in Col. Dalton's office; John S. Henry, of Cape Girardeau; J. C. A. Hiller, of Barton county, and a number of others."

"Will Leverett Leonard, your late candidate for governor, be here?"

"I don't care to talk about Leonard; but I feel warranted in saying that he will not be one of us."

"You are still a member of the Farmers' alliance, are you not, Mr. Hickman?"

"Oh, yes, indeed. The alliance is all right, but there are many who think it has been drawn into politics until it has outlived its usefulness, and the contemplated new organization hopes to avoid that drawback."

"What kind of a platform are you in favor of?"

"Personally, I would like to see an organization formed on the identical platform that the alliance adopted in this city three years ago."

"What was that, please?"

"That was what afterwards became known as the Springfield demands."

"And what were they, pray?"

"There were several of them. The first was:

"1. The granting of no more public lands to railway or other corporations.

"2. The free coinage of silver."

"3. Favoring an income tax—a thing that Mr. Cleveland has at last come around to.

"4. That the railroads be controlled by state legislation, but not owned by the state.

"5. Opposition to the alien ownership of lands in the United States.

"These are the principal points, but there are a number of others

that I do not call to mind at this time."

"And there is to be no politics in the new movements."

"No, sir, no politics; but at the present moment I am almost as much in the dark as you are as to what will be accomplished. After the delegates begin to arrive and an informal conference is held I may be able to tell you more than I can at present, but just now only speculation can be indulged in."

In conclusion, Mr. Hickman stated that several counties had elected delegates to the Sedalia meeting, despite the opposition of the alliance leaders, and at the same time they had elected delegates to the annual meeting of the State Union, which will be held in Brookfield next month. He hoped for the best, he said, but at the same time it was plainly apparent that he was not at all enthusiastic over the outlook for a large attendance at to-day's conference.

#### Cost of Saving.

It doesn't cost much to be saving. You can buy things cheap; that's proper but don't buy cheap things. If you buy Groceries you don't want cheap stuff, it don't pay—you want and will have fresh goods; that's saving. Above everything else you want pure drugs in your prescriptions and they should be accurately compounded. Our house gets fresh goods every week, and we in buying for our two stores get very close prices, and will gladly give you on your purchases every possible advantage. You may have perfect confidence in the purity of everything we handle and in our competency.

SERVANT & CRONHARDT'S,  
Pharmacy.  
(Successors to Ott Bros.)  
508 Ohio Street.  
Branch house at Green Ridge.

#### A Leg Broken.

Lon Barthold, fifteen years old, who has been living with William Rhodes, ten miles south of the city, had both bones of his right leg broken by a kick from a horse Monday. The boy was in a field, alone, when the accident occurred, and it was some time before he could attract any one to him. When found, his leg was doubled back and the bone protruded through the flesh, but through all of his intense suffering he never shed a tear.

SWEET SPRINGS WATER,  
112 Osage, Frank Krueger,  
Agent.

### OLD ALMA MINES REOPENED.

#### Successful Operations are Creating Much Excitement Among Miners.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., July 19.—There is considerable excitement in the vicinity of the Old Alma mines, about 20 miles north of here in Christian county, over mining developments there. These mines were worked in an amateur way prior to 1880, and notwithstanding the fact that none of the shafts were more than 30 feet deep, over 1,000,000 pounds of lead was taken out before they were abandoned. Recently the Old Alma mines were reopened by Colonel John E. Phelps of this city and John C. Rogers of Ozark, and within the past few days they have taken out more than two carloads of fine lead and silica from fissure veins. Miners are now flocking here from different parts of the country, and taking up claims, and it promises to be one of the biggest mining camps in the southwest.

#### Surprise and Birthday Parties.

A most enjoyable surprise party was given in honor of Miss Emma Loges, at No. 617 South Engineer street, last night. Twenty couples

participated and were royally entertained.

At No. 629 East Tenth street, yesterday, Mrs. A. M. Mitchum was at home to a number of friends, on the occasion of the celebration of the thirty-sixth anniversary of her birth.

#### THE WORLD'S FAIR HORROR.

#### A Coroner's Jury Holds Four Persons Responsible for the Awful Death.

CHICAGO, July 19.—After a prolonged investigation the coroner's jury investigating the World's fair cold storage warehouse calamity reached a verdict last night. It held to the grand jury the following persons: D. H. Burnham, director of works at the World's fair; Fire Marshal Edward Murphy, of the World's fair fire department; J. B. Skinner, president of the Hercules Iron company, and Charles A. McDonald, secretary and treasurer of the Hercules Iron company.

#### Back to Texas.

Will Hendricks, foreman of an M., K. & T. telegraph gang in Texas, departs for Houston to-night, after a two weeks' visit with his parents. He will take a gang of men with him.

#### She Is In Omaha.

Mrs. Tharp, the party referred to in yesterday's DEMOCRAT in connection with a letter received by Circuit Clerk Fowler asking if she had obtained a divorce from her husband, Charles Tharp, president of the Western Cement Co., of Chicago, is now in Omaha. She has obtained a divorce from Tharp, but the decree was not granted in Sedalia.

#### Are They Afraid?

What is the matter with the cigar-makers of Sedalia, anyhow? Are they afraid to meet the Missouri Pacific shopmen in a friendly game of ball for the benefit of the hospital fund? Brace up, you weed-rollers, and arrange a game, even if you do get mopped off of the earth's face, so to speak. What say you, Tony Honkomp?

#### Ties For the South.

Twenty-five car loads of railway ties came in to-day over the M., K. & T., from off the line of the M., K. & E., and were sent south to Texas.

#### Poisoned a Dog.

Some unknown scoundrel last evening poisoned a dog owned by Chas. Moorhead, of Master Car Builder Irvin's office.

## Grand Clearing Sale

Big reduction on a lot of Ladies' Fine Hand Turned Shoes, also a lot of Men's Fine Kangaroo and Calf Shoes in lace and Congress. Big cut in Misses and Children's Shoes and Oxfords in black and tan colors.

## "KUESEL'S,"

## 308 OHIO STREET.



**\$50,000. -- \$50,000.**  
**People's Bank**  
404 Ohio St. Paid Up Cap'l \$50,000  
SEDALIA. Surplus 2,500  
Undivided Profits 1,000  
The only bank in Sedalia with a Savings Department. Interest paid on all savings deposits.  
**COUNTY DEPOSITORY.**  
Transacts a general banking business. Your account solicited.  
Bank open Saturdays and Railroad pay-day evenings from 6:30 to 8 p. m.  
**W. L. PORTER, J. C. VAN RIPE,**  
Presidents, Cashier.

**WEATHER REPORT**  
For the 24 Hours Ending 2 O'Clock This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.  
Wind in tenths. Cloudiness in tenths. Temperature in tenths. Precipitation in inches.  
NE 6 6 81 68 0.02.  
Barometer 29.25.

**PERSONAL.**  
W. L. Morgan, of Warsaw, was a guest at Sicher's this morning.  
Harry Finke came in on the Lexington branch train this morning.  
C. H. Heynen and family left this afternoon for a trip to Colorado.  
Dr. Small and Parberry left last evening for a tour of Colorado and Montana.  
Mrs. James Englebrecht left today for a visit with relatives at Syracuse.  
Col. J. C. Higgins is in town today, but not to attend the farmers' conference.  
E. G. Church, the paving contractor, returned from St. Louis this morning.  
Ira Hinsdale has gone to Texas with a lot of mules and will be absent a fortnight.  
Mrs. David Williams, of East Third street, was quite ill last night, but is better today.  
Jesse W. Henry and J. C. Fisher, of Jefferson City, were guests at Kaiser's this morning.  
J. H. Baker and little son, Ben, left today for a visit at West Plains, Howell county.  
Mrs. J. P. Lindsay, of St. Louis, who has been visiting friends here, returned home at noon today.  
Miss Maggie Myers, at Guenther's, is entertaining her sister, who is here from St. Louis on a visit.

Children's 15c Ribbed Hose, now 9c a pair. **OUR GREAT MID-SUMMER SALE!** \$1 Wool Lace Dress Goods now 39c a yard.  
Begins to-morrow morning at 8:30 sharp. Do you remember our Great Mid-Summer Sale of last year, the rush of trade, the closed doors, the unprecedented bargains? Well, the Mid-Summer Sale this year will cap the climax. Prices no object, the goods must go.  
**\$10,000.00 Worth of Summer Goods**  
To be sold regardless of value. Read the prices. Come prepared to buy.

**A Few Leaders.**  
Brought out of reserve stock and placed on our counters to-morrow morning for the first time.  
Ladies' Vests for 5c.  
10c Flannelettes at 5c a yd.  
6 1-4 Challie for 3 1-2c a yard.  
6 1-4 Figured Lawns at 3 1-2c a yard.  
8 1-2c Scotch Lawns at 6 1-2c.  
8 1-2c Dress Gingham at 5c.  
**MORE LEADERS.**  
7 1-2c Apron Gingham now 5c.  
\$1 a yard Flouncing at 25c.  
25c Turkey Red Table Linen at 19c.  
68c Table Damasks at 48c.  
15c All Linen Towels for 10c.  
Your choice of 12 1-2c, 15c and 16 1-2c White Goods at 10c a yard.  
75c Summer Corsets for 48c.  
**REMNANTS.**  
\$500 worth of remnants culled from all departments yesterday to be thrown on our counters during this sale and sold for a song.  
**GENTS FURNISHINGS.**  
75c shirts now 50c. Seamless Sox, now 10c. Gauze Undershirts, now 12 1-2c. Also Suspenders, finer grade Underwear, Handkerchiefs and ties at prices to please.

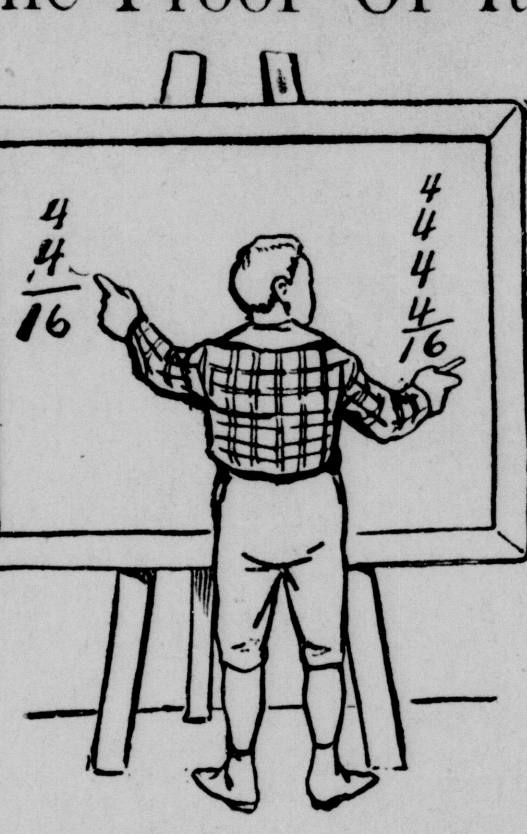
**SUMMER DRESS GOODS.**  
Mid-Summer Sale Prices, 38 inch wide All Wool 75c Grenadine, Navy Blue only, not sold but given away at 32 1-2c a yard.  
**STILL BETTER.**  
40 inch wide Wool Lace, Polka Dot, Navy and Tans only, former price \$1 a yard, we give you choice of the lot for 39c a yard.  
**CHALLIES.**  
20c Wool Filling Challies, dark shades only, mid-summer price 12 1-2c a yard.  
25c Wool Challies, choice designs, now 18c a yard.  
75c All Wool Imported Challies, mid-summer sale price 49c a yard.  
**SILKS.**  
40c Surah Silks, in Cream and Orange only, also 40c Wine Satins, your choice for 22 1-2c.  
50c Figured China Silks at 32 1-2c a yard.  
Finer grade China Silks at 48c to 89c, worth about one-third more.  
\$2 Black Silk Grenadine now \$1.23 a yard.  
\$2 Satin or Surah stipe, hem stitched silks now \$1.23 a yard.

**Our Mid-Summer SALE OF HOSIERY**  
Will create a stir in this neck of the woods.  
Children's 15c Ribbed Hose, fast black, to be closed out at 9c a pair.  
Children's 25c Seamless Hose now 15c.  
Ladies' Hose at 5c, 7 1-2c, 9c and 12 1-2c, worth in each instance 25 per cent more.  
Ladies' 40c Topsy Hose, extra fine gauge, mid-summer price 25c.  
Ladies' 50c Topsy Hose, full regular made, spliced heel and toe, grand bargain at 37 1-2c a pair.  
Ladies' Silk plated \$1.00 hose, choice of Lot, 69c a pair.  
**LADIES' VESTS.**  
5c, 7 1-2c, 10c, 12 1-2c, worth 1/3 more.  
Ladies' 50c and 60c Vests now 25c.  
Ladies' 75c Vests now 37 1-2c.  
Ladies' \$1.50 Real Lisle Thread Vests now 75c.  
Ladies' All Silk Vests worth \$1.00 now 48c.  
**IN ADDITION.**  
Bargains on our 1c, 5c, 10c, 25c, and 50c Tables. heretofore unheard of Bargains.

Sale will be continued during this entire week. Prices quoted, hold good until lots advertised are sold. Call early in the day to avoid the heat, the rush, and to secure first choice.  
**FRANK B. MEYER & BRO.,**  
**GRAND CENTRAL**  
304 and 306 OHIO STREET.  
Ladies' Vests, 5c. P. S.—About fifty empty Dry Goods cases for sale cheap. Palm Fans, 1c.

visiting here since last Lord's day, returned home on the Lexington branch train this morning.  
N. J. Wollard, of Charity, Dallas county, who now holds the position of store-keeper in Col. Dick Dalton's office in St. Louis, is at Sicher's, the farmers' conference being the attraction.  
Dr. H. J. Halley, of Blackburn, left for home yesterday. The doctor was called here in consultation with Dr. S. K. Crawford to visit the dangerously ill child of J. A. Halley, the East Third street grocer.  
W. A. Martin, superintendent of bridges and buildings for the M., K. & T., accompanied by his wife and daughters, Misses Nellie and Emma, came in from Parsons last evening and passed on to Chicago to visit the fair.  
Harry Farr, editor of the Green Ridge Local News, came in on the local freight yesterday afternoon and returned home on train No. 1. He is getting out an excellent paper, and the DEMOCRAT is glad to know that a liberal patronage is being extended.  
T. K. Barley is home from a trip to the Indian territory and Texas, in the interest of Barley Bros.' hay stacks and hay rakes, and reports the Lone Star state as being in a prosperous condition, notwithstanding the financial flurry that prevails throughout the land.  
**OFFICIALS CRITICIZED.**  
Governor Stone Intimates That They Were Derelict in Their Duty.  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., July 19.—Governor Stone, after the mob from Kentucky had taken the negro Miller to Bardwell, Ky., and lynched him, wrote to the authorities at Sikeston, Mo., where he was arrested, and inquired if Miller left the state voluntarily or if he was taken by force without the formality of a requisition. He sharply intimated that the officers at Sikeston had been derelict in their duty. The prosecuting attorney wrote to the governor and his letter has been made public. It breathes a spirit of combativeness and closes with these remarkable words:  
"The men of Missouri will always be proud of an opportunity to render unto Kentucky the men that are Kentucky's."  
**Strayed or Stolen.**  
One bay horse 16 hands high, 8 years old, mane on left, halter on, barb wire marks on left knee.  
GEO. WITTENMEYER,  
721 W 4th St.


**IS GOOD ADVICE.**  
**COMPTROLLER ECKELS TALKS TO NEW YORK BANKERS.**  
*American Citizens Should Not Give Way to Uncalled for Alarm at This Time.*  
NEW YORK, July 19.—At the Union League club dinner last night, Comptroller of the Currency Eckels, in the course of an address, said:  
"The condition which confronts the American people is one that deserves the thoughtful attention of every citizen who has at heart the interest of the country. It is not a time of panic, because we have passed the period in our history when a panic is a possibility; but it is one of a slow liquidation, the result of undue speculation and unwise legislation. Nothing is to be gained by taking on a fright that is unwarranted by either the immediate past or the immediate future."  
"What the American people ought to do in the midst of the failures that have occurred is not to give way to uncalled for alarm, but to study the character of the institutions which have failed; the cause which have produced them and the localities in which they have occurred."  
"After such a study, let them view the solvent institutions everywhere also about them, and the conclusion that must irresistibly follow is that the legitimate life of the country is not threatened, but instead will come out of the present turmoil the stronger for having passed through it. In conservative business centers the failures have been few, either in banking or other lines. Bad banking at any such times is dangerous, and must inevitably bring disaster upon those who engage in it. The present stringency has simply hastened the closing of some banks because they were inherently weak."  
"Others have closed as a result of effect of having kept alive the operations of speculators in the extreme west and in portions of the south. The art has not been discovered of making something out of nothing and the financier who stakes his all upon an unbuild city reaching out into the waste places of the

**The Proof Of It.**  
  
Tradesmen are given to flamboyant statements in their advertising, it must be admitted, but not one need be deceived thereby. We state only facts when we say that the opportunities we have to offer are not excelled anywhere. Let us prove it to you.  
Moquette Carpets \$1.00 per yd.  
Velvet " \$1.00 " "  
Body Brussels \$1.00 " "  
Tapestry " 50c " "  
Ingrain Carpets 20c " "  
Hemp " 12 1-2c " "  
Window Shades, Spring Rollers, 25c. Lace Curtains 65c per pair. Carpet Sweepers \$2.50.  
We are winding up our second year's business and now is your time to get bargains.  
**Sedalia Carpet Company, THIRD & LAMINE.**

**SEDALIA GROCER COMPANY,**  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN  
**Staple and Fancy Groceries.**  
We are opening up a NEW STOCK in our large building, 106 and 108 West Fifth street, and will make prices to dealers that will save them money. In our Retail Department will be found a Fine Line of Fancy Groceries at prices that will attract cash buyers.  
**CALL ... AND ... SEE ... US.**

**A PROFITABLE Investment FOR ALL!!**  
—THE—  
**PETTIS COUNTY INVESTMENT COMPANY,**  
OF SEDALIA, MO.,  
Offers an investment profitable to the Rich and Poor. They issue an investment bond to be redeemed in monthly installments of \$2.00 each. Call at Rooms 23 and 25 Dempsey Building and investigate.

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WE MAKE PANTS THAT FIT!  
TRY OUR TROUSERS.  
**John : Walmsley : & : Co.**  
223 Ohio Street.

**ODONTUNDER.**  
  
A newly invented local anæsthetic, or the painless extraction of teeth. This is not inhaled, but applied to the gums, the patient entirely conscious, but feeling no pain. Dr. Crow has bought the exclusive right of Sedalia, and is using Odontunder from 10 to 15 times a day. Hundreds of testimonials. No danger, no pain, no sickness.  
**S. S. CROW, D. D. S.**  
116 East Fifth Street.

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**HAVANA CIGARS.**  
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**-:Livery and Boarding Stable:-**  
(Successors to Gentry & Offield.)  
New carriages, gentle horses, careful drivers and the best turnouts in Central Missouri. The finest horse and carriage in the city. The oldest and best equipped stable in Sedalia. We make a specialty of boarding horses. Your patronage solicited.  
**CALDWELL & TURNER,**  
West Fourth street between Osage and Kentucky.  
Telephone No. 10.



## ANOTHER CROSSING HORROR.

## A Street Car Ground Into Bits by a Train and Four People Killed.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 18.—An incoming passenger train on the Grand Trunk road ran down a crowded street car last night, killing four people and injuring a number of others.

The collision occurred at the Forty-ninth street crossing, which is a network of tracks and has always been regarded as a dangerous crossing. A long freight train had just passed going west, and the tower man, George Barnett, had raised the gates. This was taken as a signal that the way was clear, and Driver Stahlnecker started across the tracks. The passenger train was rapidly coming from the west, however, and just as the car reached the tracks it struck it squarely in the center. The car was turned entirely around and hurled 30 feet away. Some of the passengers managed to save themselves by jumping, but the majority were caught.

Perkins and Dillon were frightfully mangled. A piece of timber was forced into the latter's throat, breaking his jaws. The two women killed were unknown to any of the passengers of the car, and there was nothing upon them to give a clue to their identity.

The police arrested Engineer Jones, Fireman Campbell of the passenger train, and a man named Henry Hughes, who was riding in the cab of the engine. The engineer said that he did not see the street car until it was on the track and so close that it was impossible for him to stop the train. The tower man, George Barnett, who raised the gates and allowed the car to come upon the track said: "I raised the gates after the freight train had gone west and did not see the approaching passenger train until it was close on the crossing. I lowered the gates, but it was too late then."

## A Bold Case of Robbery.

The hold-up of E. E. Smith, Monday night, was followed by a second bold robbery on Missouri Pacific train No. 8, just as it was pulling out for St. Louis, a few minutes before 1 o'clock this morning. At the Ohio street crossing a stranger entered one of the cars and grabbed the watch of a passenger after which the thief hastily fled and escaped in the darkness. The train was held a short time while the police searched for the robber, but he was neither identified nor located.

## "Royal Ruby" Port Wine.

If you are reduced in vitality or strength by illness or any other cause, we recommend the use of this Old Port Wine, the very blood of the grape. A grand tonic for nursing mothers, and those reduced by wasting disease. It creates strength; improves the appetite, nature's own remedy, much preferable to drugs; guaranteed absolutely pure and over five years of age. Young wine ordinarily sold is not fit for use. Insist on having this standard brand, it costs no more. \$1 in quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Royal Wine Co. For sale by A. S. McGowan.

## The Northeastern Line.

The track for the Northeast Sedalia electric line was laid as far as Boonville street, on Engineer, when the men began work this morning, and it was stated that it would require only a few hours' more time to complete it to the cemetery. The required poles have arrived and it is hoped to have cars running to the cemetery by Sunday.

## For Rent.

The elegant office rooms now occupied as dental parlors by Dr. S. C. Crow, at 116 East Fifth street. Possession given August 1st. Call on GEO. E. DUGAN & SON.

## A Lawn Social.

The ladies of the First M. E. church whose names begin with M., N., O., P., Q. and R. will give a lawn social and serve ice cream, with cake, at the home of J. C. McLaughlin, southeast corner of Seventh and Vermont streets, on Friday evening, July 21. A welcome to all.

## Roll Ten Pins.

The bowling alley at Forest park is now open. Go out in the evening and have a game. Last car leaves the park for the city at 10:30 p. m.

## A Couple of Socials.

Two delightful socials were given again last night—one by the ladies of Central Presbyterian church at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. West, No. 1226 East Fourth street, and the second one by the ladies of the Montgomery Street M. E. church, at the home of Mrs. Slagle, on East Broadway.

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112 Osage, Frank Krueger Manager.

## IN WOMAN'S CORNER.

## NOTES AND COMMENT OF CURRENT INTEREST.

## A Chapter on the Styles for Dressing During the Hot Summer Days—Latest Modish Costumes—Frills of Fashion.

## A Modish Costume.

There is no indication that a fulfillment of the prophesied return of women to simple garments is at hand. Elaborations continue after not one kind but many. It is true that the 1890 style is the theme of the most popular prevailing modes, but so numerous and infinitely varied are the additions and modifications that obtain that it is difficult to recognize any prevailing motive whatever. Sleeves, as to the upper part, are on the increase as to size, and unless a halt is called nothing will remain but



THE LATEST MODISH COSTUME.

to pad and whalebone them, as was done sixty years ago, when they reached such dimensions that it was necessary to sustain them by some artificial means.

Of all the variations of the much furbelowed bodice there is none more popular than the jacket and the yoke, and the latest novelty is a combination of the two such as is seen in the illustration. The material of the gown, of which the bodice shown is a part, is of mauve foulard, studded with brown, red and blue polka dots. By the way, silks figured in small, jewel-like polka dots in various colors are a late Parisian novelty. The gown in question has a yoke back and front of sapphire velvet. In addition to this yoke are zouave fronts coming from under the arm. In the back the corsage is finished with a belt, as are all the newest bolero jackets. The lower half of the skirt is a flaring Spanish flounce and where it joins the skirt is a ruche of the goods shirred on a cord in the center.

## Stylish Summer Costumes.

Charming summer toilets, copying French models, are made of soft lustrous silks in white, gray, fawn, old rose, violet or stem green, with dots and hair stripes of delicately contrasting color. The bodice opens over a blouse front of lace and is finished with a large lace collar and a short circular seamless basque-piece of silk. The sleeves are very full from shoulder to elbow and end in falling frills of lace. On some of the models the bodice is cut out quite low in the neck, and in this case a square of chiffon is laid in soft folds and arranged to drape the neck and cover the shoulders; and it is quite a serious matter to get the folds and points gracefully arranged, for each is narrow and long. A silver belt or giraffe in filigree is at the waist. Suède kid shoes and a handsome fan hung from long ribbon loops are the pretty accessories of these very pretty toilets. Gray or pale primrose-yellow gloves are worn in preference to the tans of any tint.

## About Jackets.

It seemed for a time that the blouse and independent waist would wholly displace the jacket, but presto! when this danger was imminent the jacket attached itself to the popular waist and now is found companioning in all its varied forms. Therefore has it come to pass that no wardrobe, whether plain or elaborate, is complete without its collection of jackets. However, be not deceived; they are not the jackets of a year ago, albeit they are called by the same names. For the silk blouse there is the fancy zouave jacket of jet or some other material that makes of it a waist garniture. Then there are the bolero and Eton jackets



FRENCH TEA JACKETS.

which are suited, as they are of different materials and variously adjusted, to all sorts of uses, but they are not like the jackets of last summer which were called by the same names. It may also be observed that these

jackets are now worn with the loose blouse waist, which was not the case a year ago.

In the assortment of jackets that are now a part of the fashionable woman's outfit the tea jacket must have its place. This is not the close-fitted affair it once was, of a single material trimmed more or less elaborately, but has the blouse simulated, which with the smaller jackets is a bona-fide fit. For instance, the tea-jacket illustrated, which is of bright brown velvet, has the simulated blouse that appears as a full vest of pale mauve silk which is plaited all around to fall from beneath the coat. The close fitting cuffs are of the same material as the jacket, while the full bell sleeves are of silk like the simulated blouse, which is, by the way, held in place in front by ribbon ties. Of the many forms of this convenient and becoming garment this is especially pretty as well as easily made.

## Dresses Worn at a Drawing-Room.

The toilet worn by the beautiful Countess Spencer reproduced the exact color of hearts-ease. The gown, of palest mauve moire bengaline, was worn with a train of pansy satin of an intermediate shade, and the little touch of yellow on the heart of the flower was suggested by small empire rosettes of that color which appeared on the bodice and heading of the train. The superb lace bertha was slashed on the shoulders, showing the huge puffed sleeves, and Lady Spencer's magnificent diamonds completed the beautiful toilet. The diamonds and pearls worn by the Duchess of Devonshire were also of wondrous beauty. The Duchess wore a gown of black Lyons satin, trimmed half way up the skirt with a Spanish flounce of priceless black lace. The Watteau train was of black satin brocade, caught back with black velvet rosettes. The Duchess of Buccleuch, in black satin embroidered in jet and cut steel, with train of black pout de sole, trimmed with black ostrich-feather bands, presented her daughter-in-law, the Countess of Dufferin, who wore a white satin gown trimmed with point d'Alencon lace and pearl passementerie, and a white brocade train with bold design wrought in gold and silver. The Countess of Ancaster wore a gown of tender bud-green satin embroidered on the bodice and skirt front with crystals and jewel beads of many lovely tints, and made with sleeves and bodice drapery of pink and green mirror velvet matching the train, which was lined with pale rose-pink satin.

## Cap of Lace.

While sleeves continue to be puffed up and out, the cape is not only sure to hold its own but to enjoy more popularity than any other style of wrap. The newest and handsomest capes are of rich guipure, with a full overscape, reaching not quite to the shoulders, of satin. These capes extend only a little below the waist line and are quite full. A recently imported cape of this sort has, in addition to the satin overscape, a rich trimming of jet. The plain lace capes, such as were the vogue a year ago, are no longer worn. All capes are more or less elaborately ornamented. A very chic and inex-



MODISH CAPE OF LACE.

pensive cape for ordinary wear is of braid mounted on a firm, substantial net. The braid used is of the finest wool and is so adjusted that very narrow spaces of the net are seen between the rows of braid. A more dressy cape on the same order is of satin ribbon in graduated widths mounted on net with an overscape and Medici collar of satin. The ruche of satin ribbon on the Elizabethan order which promised to be popular early in the season is not so much the vogue as are less cumbersome trimmings about the neck.

## Fashion Items.

Costumes of linen duck, pique and gray linen are among the most popular for summer wear.

A yachting wrap which is just now in great favor is a triple cape of serge or faced-cloth, having one cape of blue, one of red and one of white.

Some of the prettiest sheer and semi-transparent toilets are being made up unlined to wear over a single long waist and petticoat of taffeta or surah silk.

The novelties in various articles of dress are at the present moment all called Eulalia. There are Eulalia bonnets, slippers, jackets and capes in a multitude of forms.

A popular trimming for a dress skirt for afternoon wear is ribbon three inches wide, gathered twice through the center to form a little puff. Three rows of this trimming are set about three-eighths of a yard apart.

Among the very stylish outing dresses are those of colored linen with glossy surface in the natural ecrus shades, in flax gray and in navy blue. Oddly enough, these costumes are trimmed with revers, collar, belt and cuffs of black satin, repped silk or moire.

The boa is with us, but it is not the long feather boa of a year ago. It is of feathers, short fringed silk ruches, or of countless loops of bebe ribbon, in satin and velvet, set in a full cascade of lace and reaching just around the neck, where it is tied with a ribbon bow.

A present fancy in London is for fine tailor gowns of covert-coating. They are made with fitted jacket waists, like those now used for riding habits, of even length all around and falling just below the hips. The fronts turn in neat narrow revers from a linen chemisette with small rolling collar that is worn with a little black cravat.

## A CLUB-FOOTED DEER.

Shot and Killed After Being Hunted Down for Some Fifteen Years.

In the quaintest little shop in Detroit is Charles Lummer, taxidermist, fling away on the tooth of a California mountain lion. Lummer explains that the lion was old and his teeth had lost their edge, and he is filling them to make the threatening papier-mache jaws in which they are set look more dangerous.

The greatest curiosity which Lummer has in his shop just now, however, is a deer that was shot last fall in a swamp at Turtle Lake, back of the club house where Ed H. Gillman and his friends spent the hunting season. This deer has been sought by Michigan hunters for over fifteen years. He was known by a peculiar mark which his right foot made, and he was called the club-foot. For over fifteen years hunters have at times said, after returning from a hard day's chase: "Well, I have seen the club-foot today."

"Did you see him?" would be breathlessly asked.

"No only his tracks."

Many a stranger hunter to those parts followed the club-foot's tracks, thinking that he must be wounded and would sooner or later be found, but he tramped until he was tired or lost the trail. Many people who have never seen the club-foot or his tracks declared the story to be a myth. Nevertheless there are few hunters in Michigan who have not in the past fifteen years made a fruitless search for the famous animal. He apparently lived the whole time in a swamp about fourteen miles long and two miles wide, back of Turtle Lake. Last fall he was shot by Louis Birch, a meat market proprietor of Bay City, and now the fore-half of the club-foot stands mounted in Lummer's shop.

## IN A PICTURE-FRAME.

It Proved a Godsend to a Family of a Dead Miner.

An auction sale took place at Hazelton, Penn., recently, which developed a peculiar feature. The goods put up were at one time owned by Joseph Gaydos and Andrew Yankofski, who were killed in the Stockton colliery. Yankofski was the more fortunate in having two brothers in good circumstances.

No one thought that Gaydos possessed money. In order to defray the funeral expenses his effects were put up at auction. Everything had been disposed of excepting an old picture. The picture was a common painting, worth probably twenty-five cents when it was new, and was covered with dust.

No one seemed to want it. A little nephew of the deceased happened along about that time and, seeing some one in the crowd bid five cents for it. It was knocked down at that figure. The picture was given to the nephew. The little fellow hastened home. While showing it to his mamma a five dollar gold piece dropped on the floor. A further examination of the picture disclosed the fact that it had served as a bank for the savings of the deceased uncle. Tucked in between the frame and the picture was found a bag containing \$500.

The money, besides defraying the funeral expenses, was like a providential gift sent to the relief of the sister, who was in actual want.

## Announcing a Blissful Fact.

Much amusement was caused at South Norwalk, Conn., to passengers by the profuse decorations which adorned the trunks of a newly married couple from Danbury. The young people were made one in the afternoon and took the train for New York. Upon reaching South Norwalk their baggage was transferred, and during this process there was great merriment. On the handles there were no less than six pairs of old shoes and a profusion of white satin ribbons. In red, yellow and green chalk the following inscriptions were to be seen all over the trunk: "Ducky and his darling;" "We are happy—just married." The blissful couple were apparently unaware of the attention their baggage attracted.

## The Waiter.

Some years ago a well-known Indian painter was traveling in Montana. He went to the breakfast-table in a mountain hotel, and sat waiting for some one to take his order. Suddenly he felt a jar and then a heavy weight resting on his shoulders. He looked around, and found leaning upon and over him a huge, bearded man, in a broad-brimmed hat and with two revolvers sticking in his belt. "Well, old feller, what'll ye have?" said the man. "Who are you?" asked the artist, in dismay. "Me?" said the man; "I'm the waiter."

## Where Thackeray Failed.

Mr. Sala says that Thackeray aspired to be an after-dinner speaker, but his efforts in that line were not very happy. On the morning of a great banquet in Hyde Park, the novelist told Mr. Sala, in answer to an inquiry, that his prepared speech was "as right as nine-pence." "I have repeated it twice to myself, and it will go trippingly," he added. It did go trippingly, for after he had stumbled through two or three disjointed sentences he became completely upset, and was obliged to sit down.

## New Use for a Map.

A Boston school inspector, having a few minutes to spare after examining the school, put a few questions to the lower form boys, on the common objects in the school-room. "What is the use of that map?" he asked, pointing to one stretched across the corner of the room; and half-a-dozen shrill voices answered in measured articulations: "Please, sir, it's to hide master's bicycle."

## PROTECTED HIS MOTHER.

Henry Ault Kills a Man Who Attempted to Assault Her.

PETERSBURG, Ind., July 18.—Henry Ault instantly killed Rentz Miley near Alford a few miles east of this city late Sunday night. Miley had been employed for several years by Ault's father. Young Ault is a school teacher. The elder Ault was in Cincinnati on business. Ault and Miley met at Alford during the evening and went home early and retired. About midnight Ault heard a noise in his mother's room and hearing a man threaten to shoot any one that came into it, he realized that an attempt to assault his mother was being made. He took his pistol, saw Miley thereand, without a word, shot him dead.

## World's Fair Rates.

Via the Missouri Pacific Ry. Pullman Palace Sleeping car for St. Louis, open at 8:30 p. m. daily. Berths reserved at any time. Chicago and return \$18.90. St. Louis and return \$9.05. Tickets good for return until November 15th, 1893. Any information desired given by

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## He's Going to Move.

Ernest Weise has rented the room on West Second street, in the rear of the First National bank, and will move his barber shop there about September 1st. He began business in that same room more than a dozen years ago. The present occupants will remove to the Alamo block.

## A Card to the Public.

I am once more in business in Sedalia at the old stand, 401 West Main, the old Riley barn. Having purchased the same of Bowers & Bouldin, I will be pleased to see all my old friends and the public in general whenever they want first-class light livery. Special attention to boarders and transient stock. Horses and mules bought and sold.

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## On An Inspection Trip.

General Superintendent Allen, Division Superintendent Lyons, Master of Transportation Sweeney and Chief Surgeon Yancey left last evening for an inspection trip over the M., K. & E.

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## THOSE WHO SUFFER

from the results of over-mental or physical exertion, hardship, exposure, hidden drains, caprice, or who have brought upon themselves a series of afflictions by ignorance or willfully violating nature's laws, will find in Caton's Vitalizer and Nerve Tonic the remedy for their certain relief. It speedily removes all evidences of progressive physical deterioration, and restores the enfeebled energies to their natural vigor.

## WHENEVER THERE IS

any weakness of the vital organs, nervousness, prostration of the physical or mental energies, confusion of ideas, lack of self-control, irritability of temper, melancholy, cowardice, weakness of the knees and back, palpitation of the heart, dragging pain in the loins, headache, irritation of the kidneys and bladder, milky urine, pernicious and hidden wastes, resulting in a failure of the mental and physical powers, constituting an impediment to success and unlifting him or her for the duties and responsibilities of life, it is the remedy par excellence.

A single package will be sufficient to inaugurate the work of regeneration, and cure in many cases. But stubborn cases often require more. Therefore, send for a package from observation, for \$1.00 per package, or 6 packages for \$5.00. Address all orders to CATON MED. CO., Boston, Mass.

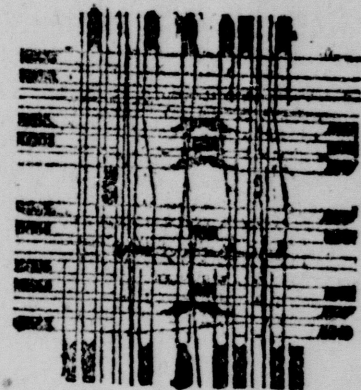
## NOTICE.

On and after this date all policies of insurance not paid for on the 20th day of the month after written shall be null and void, and cancelled upon the books of the companies.

A charge of twenty-five cents will be made for all endorsements when made. Any violation of these rules shall subject the agent to a fine of \$20.

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## Notice to Paving Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the city council of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, will receive and consider bids or proposals for the macadamizing of Third street from the east line of Hancock avenue to the west line of Engineer street as provided by an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance providing for the macadamizing of Third street from the east line of Hancock avenue to the west line of Engineer street,' passed May 9th, 1893, and approved, May 9th, 1893, by repealing section one of said ordinance and enacting a new section in lieu thereof," passed June 19th, 1893, and approved June 20th, 1893.

All bids shall be based on the specifications and conform to the provisions and requirements of said ordinance and the ordinance of which it is amendatory and shall be filed in the office of the city clerk not later than 5 o'clock p. m. on the 27th day of July, 1893, and shall be sealed.

City council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

R. M. OLMSTED,  
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W. F. HANSBERGER,  
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A WRITTEN GUARANTEE is given for every \$5.00 order received, to refund the money if a permanent cure is not effected. We have thousands of testimonials from old and young, of both sexes, who have been permanently cured by the use of Aphrodite. Offered free. Address THE APHRODITE MEDICINE CO., Box 27, Portland, Or.

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## THE RAILROADS.

Master Car Builder Samuel Irvin is in Texas.

Lyman B. Hall, jr., is home from Dallas, Texas.

Tom Swann is back in St. Louis from a trip to Texas.

Vice-President Purdy, of the "Katy," has returned to St. Louis from Chicago.

D. F. Clark, of Jefferson City, tie agent for the Missouri Pacific, was in town this morning.

Superintendent W. G. Brownlee returned to St. Louis at midnight last night, after a few hours' sojourn here.

The Missouri Pacific shop force at this point was reduced last evening by the laying off of three engine wipers.

Less damage has resulted to railroad property in this section the past season by reason of storms than for many years.

The excursion plan as proposed by some railroads to the World's fair is not regarded by the general public as a blooming success.

Some dare devils seem to take delight in shooting into passenger trains as they pass through certain sections of the Indian Territory.

Dug Nelson, the Missouri Pacific fireman, will wed an accomplished young lady of Boonville at her home in that city to-morrow afternoon.

A rock crusher has been put in on the M., K. & T. six miles south of Parsons. The company are making every preparation to ballast the road with rock.

Conductor Whitney, of the Sedalia division of the M., K. & T., has laid aside his regulation uniform, says the Parsons *Star*, and with his family has gone to the World's fair. Conductor Hall is running Whitney's train.

Will Morris, fireman on the passenger train on the M., K. & T. which was supposed to have been held up by the Starr gang at Pryor Creek on the night of May 2d, has gone to Fort Smith, Ark., where he was summoned to appear against Henry Starr.

Conductor John Farr, who has been doing the city for several weeks, left yesterday morning for St. Louis, where he goes to take a train on the Chicago & Alton.—*Parsons Sun*. John ran varnished cars on the M., K. & T. for a good many years.

The M., K. & T. surveyors have passed and located the line three miles to the north of Knob Noster, says the Warrensburg *Star*, and are now headed for Pilot Grove. Chief Duesen says the line so far is a good one and he hopes to see work commence on it soon.

The United States supreme court has sustained the decision of the lower court in the case of Annie Letcher vs. the M., K. & T. railway company at Hannibal, damages for \$5,000. This was made a test case, and by its decision the M., K. & T. is compelled to pay \$15,000 in two other cases.

The night operator at Stringtown, on the Choctaw division of the M., K. & T., who was recently visited by train robbers, has thrown up his job, and left the country. His sudden and mysterious mode of departure is thought to be due to threats made by the gang that attempted to hold up a train at that place. They were afraid the operator would give them away.

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## Installation of Officers.

The officers-elect of Myrtle lodge, No. 1,719, Knights and Ladies of Honor, were installed last night, viz: W. R. Munger, protector; Julia E. Martin, vice protector; Inez L. Munger, corresponding secretary; W. D. Wallace, financial secretary; Clara Hulland, treasurer; A. E. Munger, chaplain; Robert I. Suttles, guide; Lizzie Wright, guardian; F. C. Williams, sentinel. W. D. Wallace was chosen delegate and W. R. Munger alternate delegate to the grand lodge, which meets at St. Louis in September.

## "Up in a Balloon."

Should the weather prove favorable, there will be an immense crowd at Association park next Saturday night to witness the balloon ascension and parachute leap by Miss Madeline Squires. The young lady is at present in Kansas City and is rapidly recovering from the injuries

sustained at Forest park last Friday night. She is determined to show the people of Sedalia that as an aeronaut she does not have to take a back seat for anyone, either male or female, and the chances are she will demonstrate the fact to the world Saturday night.

## TO SELECT A SUCCESSOR.

The School Board Will Elect a New Superintendent Next Tuesday Evening.

A gentleman to succeed Prof. A. J. Smith as superintendent of the public schools of Sedalia will be elected next Tuesday night, and the task gives promise of being a difficult one, as there will quite likely be half a hundred applicants—all capable gentlemen—from whom to choose a single one.

Already twenty-five applications have been received by Secretary Fleischmann, and additional ones are coming in on almost every mail, while more than one telegram has been received requesting that the election be deferred until the arrival of sender's application.

Prof. Smith will leave about August 1st with his family for St. Paul, and more than one teacher has been heard to say, "I wish I were going with him."

There is no denying that the professor has a strong hold upon the affections of those with whom he has been associated for several years past in school work, and were it not for leaving so excellent a city as Sedalia it would not be surprising if there was a desire upon the part of several teachers to accompany him to his new field.

While no resignations are anticipated at this time on the part of the local teachers, it is not so certain that some of the more efficient ones will not retire at the expiration of the next school year, and later be found employed in the schools of St. Paul.

It is not generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that Misses Helen Gallie and Hattie Van Antwerp were offered twice as large salaries to teach in St. Louis the ensuing year as they will receive here, but both declined the offer because of the fact that Sedalia is their home.

## \$100.00 IN CASH PREMIUMS.

Don't forget to take a loaf of bread; in so doing you help out a noble enterprise, the Charity hospital fund. Every dime helps to swell the Charity hospital fund. If you have not a kindly feeling toward the No. 8 flour you can use any flour that you wish. However, none other than the No. 8 can compete for the prizes, and must be so stated on the day of delivery.

Every one that has a drop of the milk of human kindness coursing through their veins should not forget the hospital fund and send us a loaf of bread.

Yours very respectfully,  
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## For Sale.

A desirable home, corner lot, within five blocks of the court house. For particulars call on "F," DEMOCRAT office.

## A Serious Charge.

Chas. Witcher was jailed last evening on the charge of having attempted to poison a team of horses owned by M. E. Dove. It is claimed that strichnine was put in the horses' troughs, but it was discovered and removed before the animals had partaken of it. Witcher will have a hearing before Justice Levens to-morrow.

## For Sale or Trade.

A complete list of city property. Terms to suit. Farms in sizes and quality to suit. Property of all kinds for exchange.

Thrashing machine and engine to sell or trade at once. Some good farms for rent. Write or call on MORRIS & WEST.

214 Ohio street.

Smoke "Americanite" cigars.

## They Cleared \$53.

The ladies of the Sacred Heart church cleared about \$53 by the social given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keck on Monday evening—a very clever showing, indeed.

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## CORBETT AND MITCHELL.

An Apparent Hitch in the Boxing Match Proceedings.

It is now a little more than probable that the Coney Island folk who provide fistic amusements for the sport loving portion of this community will slip up in their efforts to secure a star attraction in the shape of a glove fight between Jim Corbett and Charley Mitchell. The managers of the eastern organization were confident that their offer of a purse of \$40,000, made last April and agreed to by the Californian, would prove entirely acceptable to the bold Britisher as well, and that no other club would care to tempt the fighters by hanging up a richer plum. It appears, however, that they builded better than they knew, for on June 30 Dominick O'Malley, the president of the Columbian athletic club, of Roby, Ind., induced Corbett to throw up his agreement with the Coney Island people and agree to do battle for the larger amount of \$45,000 offered by the Western organization. Here is the agreement stated to have been signed by Corbett:

The undersigned, James J. Corbett, heavyweight champion of the world, agrees to accept a purse of \$45,000 from the Columbian Athletic Club, of Chicago, for a contest to a finish between Charles Mitchell of London, Eng., and myself, under the conditions herein-after mentioned, namely: I have signed with the Coney Island club to meet said Mitchell for a purse of \$40,000, and in all equity and honor I consider myself bound to the Coney Island Club, where the conditions are at all equal. However, in the light of the fact that Charles Mitchell has not yet signed with the club, added to the fact that it requires the signatures of both principals to make the match, I agree that, if Mitchell will not agree to meet me before the Coney Island Club for the \$40,000 purse offered by that organization, I will accept the terms of the Columbian Athletic Club for their increased offering. Further, if the said Mitchell should default and fail to meet me for the title of heavyweight champion of the world, I will agree to take on in Mitchell's place Peter Jackson, the battle to take place on the date already set for my contest with Charles Mitchell.

Three hours later the following cablegram was received by President O'Malley in response to a dispatch forwarded to London:

"Mitchell accepts \$45,000 offer. I have signed him with temporary articles of agreement pending the arrival of final. Have posted \$500 for you with Atkinson of Sporting Life."

"GEORGE McDONALD." The Coney Island A. C. managers are very much exercised in mind over this interference with their cherished plans, and should the fight take place elsewhere than at the arena by the sea thousands of sporting men and their imitators will be grievously disappointed; but the principals to the match evidently have the matter at their own disposal, and that they will prefer to face each other under the auspices of the organization that hangs up the biggest prize goes without saying.—New York Clipper.

## Peter Jackson Abroad.

The colored heavyweight, Peter Jackson, met with a flattering reception at the hands of his London friends. In the course of a newspaper interview, being asked if he had any objection to giving his opinion as to the probable winner of the Corbett-Mitchell fight, he replied diplomatically: "Yes, I have; but I have no objection to telling you what I think of the two men; Corbett is unquestionably very clever and strong, and he has, moreover, height and length of reach in his favor. Furthermore, he has defeated a man who was looked upon as almost invincible, and it must be admitted that that is a great thing in his favor. But remember, I consider no man invincible. Then again, as regards Mr. Mitchell, I find that as far as the ring is concerned, everything he ever said he would do he has done, and done it well, and what others may say of him, I believe no gamer man ever stepped into a ring. He has grit and science also, and Corbett will find him a hard man to beat."

## THE STAGE.

John Coburn, comedian, has recovered from his recent severe illness. The Perfection Lodge, K. of P., looked after Mr. Coburn during his indisposition.

Edmund Gerson (with Simmonds & Brown) has engaged for Tompkins' "Black Crook" the Heras, famous European acrobats, five ladies and gentlemen in full evening dress.

Sam Carlton (late of James Reilly's "German Soldier" Co.) was married recently to Miss May Hunter, in the Little Church Around the Corner, New York, by the Rev. Dr. Houghton.

Nana Phillips, ingenue, arrived recently from Europe, where she has been for the past two years, receiving vocal instruction. Miss Phillips is visiting Boston, whence she goes to Chicago to view the World's Fair. Her plans for the coming season have not yet been decided upon.

## GENERAL SPORTING.

The Macon club has released pitcher Lucid.

Outfielder Billy York has signed with the Memphis club.

The St. Louis club has canceled the release of Buckley for the present.

The Portland, Maine, club has signed catcher D. J. Mahoney, lately of Birmingham.

Albany has signed pitcher Smith of Fordham College, whom New York has been negotiating with.

Charleston has signed outfielder Henry to fill the vacancy caused by the sale of Long to Baltimore.

F. E. Draper, '95, of Lansingburg, N. Y., has been elected captain of the Williams baseball team for next year.

Pitcher Abbey, who was loaned by Pittsburg to the Macons of the Southern league and then traded by Pittsburg for Ad Gumbert, has accepted Chicago's terms.

The Corinthian Yacht club of Atlantic City, N. J., held a regatta on June 23, which was won by Summer Reed's Whiz, which sailed the eight miles in one hour, twenty-two minutes and forty-three seconds, with the Georgia, Capt. Gale, second, this being the first defeat the latter has sustained in a club regatta for two seasons.

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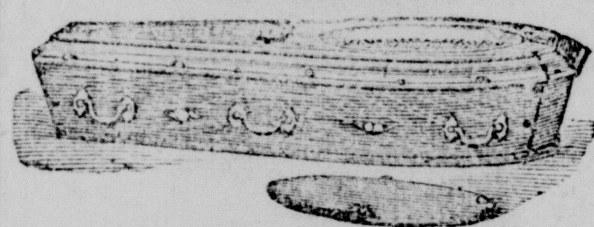
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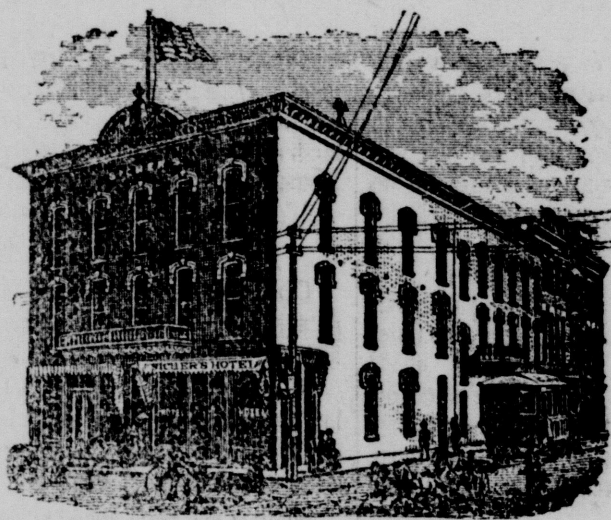
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